

25<sup>th</sup> April 2024

Dear Parent/Carer,

## C9 French Language trip to Paris; Monday 7th July to Friday 11th July 2025

Last Thursday, your child attended an assembly where we launched the residential offer for 2025. As part of our Enrichment Programme at Honywood, we offer learners opportunities for learning outside of the classroom. We are very excited to once again launch our Paris residential. This residential opportunity to Paris runs from Monday 7<sup>th</sup> to Friday 11<sup>th</sup> July 2025.

To truly appreciate and understand a language, immersing yourself in the culture by visiting the country really supports a deeper understanding. We will visit historic sites such as the Eiffel Tower, Versailles, Sacre Coeur and Montmartre. In addition, we will visit our partner school Saint Michel de Picpus, spending time with the children and attending learning sessions. The itinerary for the week is below:

Itinerary

<b>Monday 7<sup>th</sup> July</b> Travel to Paris by Coach via Ferry Arrive at the European Campus Sainte Therese, Ozoir-la- Ferriere	<b>Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> July</b> Visit to our French partner school Visit the Sacre Coeur and Montmartre
Activities on site Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> July</b> Visit Versailles for the day
Boat cruise on the River Seine Visit the Eiffel Tower and the Arc de Triomphe	<b>Friday 11<sup>th</sup> July</b> Leave Paris by coach and travel back to the UK

Further details of the itinerary will be shared with families next year at a meeting, date to be confirmed.

The total cost of the week, which includes all transport costs, entrance fees to sites, accommodation and full board is **between £570 and £615**. (The final cost will be determined by the uptake and we will write to confirm your place and confirm the payment plan).

The first non refundable deposit of £50 will be due by Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> May 2024, payment of which will secure your child's place. The balance of the cost will then be via instalments between May 2024 and February 2025 and will be scheduled on ParentPay. The second non-refundable deposit will then be due by 31st May 2024.

Payment date	Payment
1 <sup>st</sup> May 2024	£50 (non refundable deposit)
31 <sup>st</sup> May 2024	£50 (second non refundable deposit)

June 2024 – February 2025 instalments to be confirmed upon confirmation of final number of attendees.

Please note that, should your child withdraw from the visit, any refunds will be issued following the guidance by the tour operator, excluding the non-refundable deposits. We are bound by the travel companies' terms and conditions, these can be found at: <u>https://www.wsttravel.com/media/635182/next-generation-travel-booking-terms-and-conditions-3-nov-2021.pdf</u>)

The School is covered by Zurich Insurance for all trips and visits. Details can be found through our website.

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Could I also draw your attention to a document on our website 'Payment for Enrichment Opportunities at Honywood' which is also available to read on our website. If you have any questions regarding the Enrichment Programme at Honywood, please contact Mrs Frogley, Enrichment Leader <u>cfrogley@honywoodschool.com</u>. We also offer support to families in financial difficulty in the form of extended payment plans. In certain circumstances we are also able to subsidise part of the cost to families who meet our criteria. Please see the details on our website "Hardship".

Please do not hesitate to contact me directly on <u>pbilby@honywoodschool.com</u> should there be any concerns prior to this visit.

Yours sincerely

Mr P Bilby Subject Leader MFL